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FOETAL CELL OF MATERNAL BLOOD

LETTER REQUESTING ACCEPTANCE
OF BLACK AND WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS

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November 3, 2004

Sir:

Submitted herewith is one (1) sheet of (corrected) formal drawing(s) that complies with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.84. The drawing should be made a part of the record of the above-identified application.

Applicants respectfully request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b) that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office accept the accompanying black and white photograph as an official drawing in the present application as the only practicable medium for illustrating the claimed invention.

In accordance with the U.S.P.T.O. waiver of May 1, 1998 (1211 O.G. 34), only one (1) copy of each photograph is attached hereto.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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